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Washington sole proprietorship, PUGET
SOUND SECURITY, INC., a Washington
corporation, PACIFICA NORTHWEST

ASSOCIATION OF INVESTIGATORS, INC., a Washington corporation, FIREARMS

NORTHWEST SCHOOL OF SAFETY, a

ACADEMY OF SEATTLE, INC., a Washington corporation, DARRYL LEE, XEE

DEL REAL, JOE WALDRON, GENE

HOFFMAN, ANDREW GOTTLIEB, ALAN GOTTLIEB, GOTTLIEB FAMILY

REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST, a Washington trust, and SECOND AMENDMENT

FOUNDATION, a non-profit organization,

Plaintiffs,

BOB FERGUSON, Attorney General of Washington (in his official capacity), WASHINGTON ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE, and JOHN R. BATISTE, Chief of the Washington State Patrol (in his official capacity), and DOES I-V,

Defendants.

No. 3:14-cv-6026 BHS

DECLARATION OF CHERYL STUMBO IN SUPPORT OF CHERYL STUMBO, WASHINGTON ALLIANCE FOR GUN RESPONSIBILITY, AND EVERYTOWN FOR GUN SAFETY ACTION FUND FOR I-594'S MOTION TO INTERVENE

DECLARATION OF CHERYL STUMBO IN SUPPORT OF STUMBO, WAGR, AND EVERYTOWN'S MOTION TO INTERVENE - I
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I, CHERYL STUMBO, declare as follows:

- 1. I am over the age of 18, am competent to testify, and offer this declaration based on my personal knowledge.
- 2. I am a survivor of gun violence and an advocate for gun safety laws. On July 28, 2006, I was critically injured when a mentally unstable gunman entered the offices of the Jewish Federation of Greater Seattle and shot me and five of my co-workers, killing one person. I was shot in the abdomen at point-blank range. I recovered after undergoing more than 20 surgeries over three years.
- 3. Since my recovery, I have dedicated myself to preventing gun violence. In that capacity, I have worked to pass reforms to Washington's gun laws, particularly with respect to closing the background check loophole.
- 4. I am currently employed as an outreach associate with Everytown for Gun Safety Action Fund, the nation's largest gun violence prevention organization. In that capacity, I work to engage gun violence survivors and others in fighting for common-sense gun laws.
 - 5. I served as the official Citizen-Sponsor of Initiative 594 ("I-594" or "Initiative").
- 6. I worked closely with the Washington Alliance for Gun Responsibility ("WAGR") and Everytown for Gun Safety Action Fund for I-594 ("Everytown for I-594") in sponsoring and campaigning for I-594's passage. On July 1, 2013, I, along with WAGR, filed an appeal of the Washington Attorney General's proposed ballot title for I-594. The matter was fully briefed and the trial court heard oral argument prior to ruling.
- 7. I worked with WAGR and Everytown for I-594 during the 2014 legislative session to have the Legislature approve I-594, including presenting testimony to the Legislature

on the importance of closing the background check loophole. When the Initiative was placed on the November 4, 2014 general election ballot, I worked closely with WAGR and Everytown for I-594 in running the campaign to pass I-594. This included fundraising, speaking at public events and debates, and assisting WAGR and Everytown for I-594 in media interaction and getout-the-vote efforts.

I declare under penalty of perjury of the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct.

DATED this at day of February, 2015, signed in battle, Washington.

CHERYL STUMBO

1 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** 2 I hereby certify that on this 23rd day of February, 2015, I electronically filed the 3 foregoing document with the United States District Court ECF system, which will send 4 notification of such filing to the following: 5 Mikolaj T. Tempski David B. Edwards Tempski Law Firm PS 6 Steven W. Fogg 40 Lake Bellevue Corr Cronin Michelson Baumgardner & Preece 7 Suite 100 1001 4th Avenue Bellevue, WA 98005 **Suite 3900** 8 Phone: 425.998.6203 Seattle, WA 98154-1051 Email: Miko@TempskiLaw.com Phone: 206.625.8600 Email: dedwards@correronin.com 10 Attorneys for Plaintiffs Email: sfogg@correronin.com 11 Attorneys for Plaintiffs 12 Jeffrey T. Evan 13 Noah Purcell R. July Simpson 14 Rebecca Ripoli Glasgow Solicitor General 15 Washington State Attorney General's Office 1125 Washington Street SE 16 PO Box 40100 17 Olympia, WA 98504-0100 Phone: 360-753-6200 18 Email: noahp@atg.wa.gov Email: jeffe@atg.wa.gov 19 Email: RJulyS@atg.wa.gov Email: RebeccaG@atg.wa.gov 20 21 Attorneys for Defendants 22 Signed at Seattle, Washington this 23rd day of February, 2015. 23 24 25 26

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